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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This communication is in response to the Office Action (Restriction Requirement) dated February 22, 2007 with a one month shortened statutory period for reply.

A **listing of the claims** begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 16 of this paper.

- Claims 1-70 are pending.
- Claim 54 is amended.
- Elected Claims (Group II): 1, 4-8, 26-31, 41, 43-45, 51, 55, 57-59, and 67
- Withdrawn Claims: 2-3, 9-25, 32-40, 42, 46-50, 52-54, 56, 60-66, and 68-70.